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INTEREST IS GREAT

AND SHORT COURSE IS BEING
LARGELY ATTENDED.

WITH DAIRY CATTLE

Mr. Brandt Discussed Essentials for
Success—The Afternoon
Program.

Tonight's Program.

7:30 p. m.—Illustrated lecture: Poultry Raising—T. E. Quisenberry, superintendent of the state poultry station at Mountain Grove, Mo. The lecture will be given in the court house.

Tomorrow's Program.

9-10 a. m.—Lecture: Handling the Corn Crop—Mr. Douglass. This lecture will have to do with the most important principles underlying the proper production of corn from an economic standpoint.

10-12 a. m.—Lecture: Care of Farm Poultry—Mr. Kempster. This lecture will treat of the details in successful handling of poultry on the farm. Common causes of failure explained.

1-2 p. m.—Lecture: Feeding Hogs for Market—Mr. Allison. A study of the relative value of rations for growing and fattening swine. The use of feeding standards discussed.

2-4 p. m.—Lecture: Seed Corn—Mr. Douglass. This period will be given to a lecture on selection of corn for seed and methods of storing and testing seed corn. (Illustrated.)

The Wednesday morning class was the largest of the course thus far. Legumes, principally cowpeas and soybeans were discussed by Mr. Douglass. The instructor says that soybeans are better adapted to this section than cowpeas because the former crop can stand the cold spring better than cowpeas. "Especially if you are going to plant them with the corn, the soybeans are the better crop because in all probability one-half the crop of cowpeas would be killed by a cold spring," he says.

In reply as to whether cowpeas should be mixed with corn silage, Mr. Douglass says that they will cause a mushy mixture which is undesirable. Cowpeas and soybeans are a good crop to precede alfalfa, the instructor told the class, because they loosen the soil and put the ground in better physical condition.

From ten to eleven, Mr. P. M. Brandt gave an interesting discussion of "The Essentials for Success with Dairy Cattle." The speaker as a result of his years of experience in this work, believes that the prime essential of successful dairying is to keep an absolute record of the milk and butter fat production of each animal and also just what each animal costs yearly. Dairy cattle, unlike beef animals, must be treated as individuals, illustrative of the old adage that "handsome is that handsome does." Mr. Brandt cited an instance of this sort which had come under his notice at the university. Two cows, half sisters, registered almost the same on the score card, but one produced about 160 pounds of butter fat per year while the other produced 500 pounds yearly. He concludes therefore, that the only way to successfully select your dairy cows is by comparative records.

Another consideration is that you should feed the cattle in proportion to their milk and butter fat yield. With the aid of the lantern slides Mr. Douglass gave some very instructive points on the principles underlying crop rotation for this particular locality at the round table hour

from 11 to 12. The round table hour is perhaps the most instructive part of the course, in which the instructor as well as the students give their varied experiences with different phases of the farm work.

This afternoon Mr. Allison lectured on silage and live stock feeding, and the lecture dealt with the production of silage, its use in live stock feeding and its relative value in comparison with other feeds. He discussed different grains best to use in the silo.

The attendance this afternoon was by far the largest so far and considerable interest is being taken. The success of the course is assured.

ON FRUIT RAISING.

E. H. Favor Lectured at Court House
Last Evening on That Subject.

The interest in the short course is gradually increasing, and with it the attendance is rapidly growing. Last evening Mr. E. H. Favor, one of the editors of the Fruit Grower and Farmer, of St. Joseph, gave a very interesting as well as instructive lecture on the intricacies of fruit raising, and the methods to be used in order to obtain the best results.

"Why is it," asked Mr. Favor, "that we do not have the quantity and quality of fruit that we had several generations ago? The answer is that we have insect pests and fungi growths now that were not known in the time of our grandfathers. We must offset these disadvantages by scientific spraying. There are three fundamental operations in fruit growing that the grower must observe in order to be successful—pruning, spraying and cultivation. The first is necessary to thin the fruit out and give the tree a desirable shape. The soil must be cultivated to obtain a luxuriant growth, while spraying is the most important factor of them all for several reasons. The reason that our spraying fails is due to two things—first, that we get poor chemicals, to which a very small per cent of the failures are due, and second, that we do not spray properly. If the wind blows the spray in our faces we are prone to pass over the job lightly and hurry out of the inopportune shower bath to the other side of the tree.

Spraying, to be effective, must kill all the insects, and partially doing this is but a waste of time. We commonly think of the northwest as the only place where ideal apples can be grown. Now, if one-half the care were taken here that the people of Oregon and the western states take we, too, could produce apples that would sell for \$2 per box instead of that much or less per barrel. Saleable apples, too, must be well colored. This condition is obtained only by proper pruning, so that all the apples may receive the sunlight equally."

The lecture was illustrated throughout by lantern slides, which were taken from pictures collected by Mr. Favor. The large audience listened attentively to the lecture, and questions were asked from time to time.

The speaker handled his subject in a masterful way, and the number of people over the assembly who were seen taking notes shows that the knowledge of the various speakers will soon be put to practical tests.

WHAT IS A SHORT COURSE?

Following Article Explains Nature
and Purpose of the Course.

Since Nodaway county is holding a short course in agriculture this week under the direction of the State Normal school and the Commercial club, many of our readers would like to know what a short course is. The following article taken from the Trenton Republican explains the nature and purpose of a short course:

What is a short course, Mr. Farmer? It means six days when you will have an opportunity to ride to the county seat and learn as to the best methods of making the most profits out of your business. Once on a time it was considered 'smart' to laugh at so-called book farming. Perhaps you have a neighbor who, even yet, in the light of the twentieth century, persists in doing so. But you know and his family knows and Sir Scoffer, after a little figuring and honest, whole hearted introspection, will admit that he has not yet learned the farm alphabet—despite the fact that he has been pushing the lines for forty years. Every farmer has learned much by experience. Frequently, after cropping in an unprofitable manner for twenty years, he realizes his mistake and changes. His total loss, charged to ignorance would make an alarming sum.

Isn't farming a business? Is there any good reason why business principles should not be applied to it? What is book farming? What is an experiment station? Nothing more or less

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BANQUET PROGRAM ON INCORPORATION

TO BE GIVEN ON FRIDAY EVENING
AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

TO CLOSE COURSE WEEK IT IS THE QUESTION

Many Speakers, Such as Judge Ellison,
C. D. Bellows, Dr. Taylor and
Others on Program.

The banquet which will be given on Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the basement of the First M. E. church, will close the short course week, and promises to be one of the biggest banquets ever given in the city. The dinner will be served by the Ladies' Aid society of that church.

Many who enrolled for the course and a number of business men are buying tickets for the dinner, which are 75 cents. Tickets will be limited to 300.

W. O. Garrett will preside as toastmaster at the dinner, and the following are those who will speak:

"When I Was a Farmer Blithe," by Judge W. C. Ellison.

"This New Sort of Farmer," by Charles D. Bellows.

"The Secretary Bird," by Secretary John I. Hoffman of the Commercial club.

"Larkin and Farmin'," by Henry N. Moore.

"Canning Corn for the Cows," by Charles Stafford.

"Making Smooth the Way," by H. W. Hull.

"Pedagogy and Potatoes," by Dr. H. K. Taylor of the Normal.

"Being Sociable on Route 5," by William Gex.

"When You Want 'Em," by C. G. McMillan of Pickering.

TO OPPOSE STONE.

It is Said That Judge Waller W.
Graves Will Be a Candidate
for Senator.

Waller W. Graves, judge of the Missouri supreme court, is the latest candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator William J. Stone. That Judge Graves has his eye on the nomination is the declaration of men close to him.

No word has come from Judge Graves that he is a candidate. But in politics a hint from a friend is about as good as a direct word from the principal in the fight. This hint has come from some of Judge Graves' closest friends.

Judge Graves would have the backing of the state administration, or as much of it as could be turned over to him without causing a split in the Democratic party.

TODAY IS LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

Patriotic Songs and Program Given at
High School Assembly Hour
Wednesday.

As Wednesday was the birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln, a patriotic program was given at the high school at assembly hour. It consisted of patriotic songs and speeches. Miss Marie Holt gave "Barbara Fritchie," Edgar Hull gave "Sheridan's Ride," and Roy David, Lincoln's ettsburg speech.

Rev. Albert S. Cox of the First M. E. church, spoke at assembly hour on Tuesday morning at the high school.

ENGINEER PHILLIPS HERE.

St. Louis Man in Conference With the
Board of Public Works This
Afternoon.

Engineer Hiram Phillips of St. Louis is in Maryville today and was in conference with the board of public works late this afternoon. Mr. Phillips has been the engineer of the board, and he has a plan for doing the improving work and knows what machinery is necessary. The board is to look over his plan.

TO JEFFERSON CITY.

County Superintendent Oakerson to
Leave for Capital City Saturday.

County Superintendent Oakerson will leave Saturday for Jefferson City, where he will attend a meeting of the state reading circle board, of which he is a member. The board is to adopt the reading circle books for the next school year, commencing in September.

On Visit to Bolckow.

Mrs. Chester I. Hartman went to Bolckow Tuesday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. W. G. Cooper. Mr. Hartman left Tuesday for Great Falls, Mont., and his bride will join him later. Mr. Hartman's mother, Mrs. G. A. Hartman of this city, remains quite ill.

VOTE NEXT SATURDAY BY PEOPLE'S PHONE SYSTEM DISCUSSED

H. W. Hull Writes From Standpoint
of One Taxed Without Representation.

Editor Democrat-Forum: On next Saturday the People's phone systems will vote on incorporation, and it is well to ask, do we need it?

The system consists of nearly 700 phones, about 200 of which are in Maryville. All lines having three or more phones are entitled to a representative, those having less than three on a line are not, therefore, represented, leaving about one-third of the system without representation. This one-third paid money for the drop, for the wire, use of poles, brackets, insulators, work and dues, but not one word of representation do they have. Is that right?

While some are objecting to supervision, Maryville has been forced under supervision all the while by a majority of the rural lines, unequally represented. Shall we continue the system as it is?

Under incorporation all share owners will be equal in the system.

The articles will contain just what we put in them. The board of directors will have only such powers as are given them. The costs, powers, services, liabilities and representation will be equal to every share owner.

The service will be better and the system put in better shape every way. Every officer and director in the central are in favor of it. Every business man who has expressed himself to the writer is in favor of it.

December 28 the meeting of representatives of the county recommended incorporation. Skidmore, Maitland and Graham have incorporated, and now it is up to us.

Let us catch the step in the march to company responsibility, better service, equal representation, equal cost and the system will grow as never before.

H. W. HULL.

WABASH-GREAT WESTERN DEAL.

Omaha Papers Say That the Deal Will
Be Consummated Within the
Next Few Weeks.

Omaha papers contained the information Tuesday morning that the deal between the Wabash and the Great Western whereby the latter will use the Wabash tracks from Omaha to Conception to open a new main line direct to Kansas City, is likely to be consummated within the next few weeks.

The new move of the Great Western will give that road the shortest route between Minneapolis and Kansas City, and this will naturally bring the major portion of the freight and passenger traffic between these two points through Maryville.

Mrs. Castillo's Funeral.

N. B. Lamar of this city attended the funeral services of Mrs. Mary Castillo of Elmo, who died Sunday morning at her home near there. The services were held Tuesday morning at the North Grove church and were conducted by Rev. James R. Campbell, assisted by Rev. Dack of Blanchard, Ia., and Rev. Holliday of Elmo.

Mrs. Castillo had been a devout member of the M. E. church, South, since young girlhood and had attended the North Grove church since its organization. When she came to Maryville to make her home during the civil war, she became a friend of the late Mrs. Mary Graham, for whom Maryville was named, and they remained staunch friends until death separated them a few years ago.

On Visit to Kansas City.

Mrs. J. L. Tilson and Miss Vera Tilson went to Kansas City Wednesday morning to visit Mrs. Tilson's mother, Mrs. S. M. Fraker. They were accompanied by Mrs. E. F. Fraker of Washington, Kan., who have been visiting them for a week. Mr. Fraker, who is editor and proprietor of the Republican-Register of Washington, spent Sunday at the Tilson home.

Marriage Licenses.

Henry F. Horton.....Ravenwood
Nellie A. Pettigrew.....Ravenwood
John E. Ecker.....Elmo
Edith Adkins.....Elmo

Will Give Patriotic Play.

The high school of Barnard will present a patriotic play at the M. E. church in Barnard Wednesday night.

PREDICTED THE RISE IN SWINE.

H. Montgomery, Skidmore Banker,
Made Good Prediction—Tells of
Strickler Serum Treatment.

According to the St. Joseph Gazette H. Montgomery of Skidmore, cashier of the Farmers bank at Skidmore and secretary of group No. 3 of the Missouri Bankers' association, was down on the first floor of the Exchange building Tuesday and was telling live stock men how he had predicted the rise in hogs.

"I told them to throw a few shovelfuls of corn to them and to hold them a few days longer," said Montgomery, after running his weather eye over the market bulletin board. "Our customers took my word for it, too, and they are going to make some money, too. I just felt it in my bones that there was something better coming in the hog market."

Montgomery, who puts out more money on cattle than most any banker in Northwest Missouri, tells how Bert Strickler, a 23-year-old farmer of Skidmore, is making a fortune vaccinating hogs for cholera. The young fellow fell in with a student from the Iowa Agricultural college at Ames and picked up a working knowledge of the serum business. In the last twelve months he has vaccinated more than two thousand head of hogs for William Carpenter, the big Tarkio feeder, alone. He works almost night and day and as a result cholera is at the minimum in the western part of Nodaway county. Still some farmers around Skidmore and Tarkio decry the serum treatment, Montgomery says.

Cholera is sweeping off hogs in the Platte river valley in the eastern part of Nodaway county, where the serum treatment has been ridiculed by many of the farmers as an impractical experiment of the agricultural colleges. A federal government expert recently visited Strickler's plant at Skidmore and declares that his treatment is an unqualified success in every way. Montgomery declares that thousands of dollars have been saved to the farmers of his vicinity by Strickler and his serum treatment.

DEATH OF MRS. ROELOFSON.

Passed Away Wednesday Morning at
Daughter's Home in Savannah—
Funeral Thursday in Maryville.

Mrs. R. S. Roelofson of Maryville, who has been spending several months in Savannah with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. May, died there Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, the day being the sixty-ninth anniversary of her birth. The body will be brought to Maryville Wednesday night and taken to the home of Mrs. Roelofson's son, J. Frank Roelofson, on South Main street, where the funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. J. Miller of the First Christian church.

Mrs. Roelofson had been in declining health for some time and the end came gradually day by day. She is survived by five children, Mrs. Robert Lyle, Miss Clara V. Roelofson and J. F. Roelofson of Maryville; Mrs. E. E. May of Savannah, and I. C. Roelofson of Barnard.

MAY RECONSIDER CRAIG BILL.

Several Voted Against Membership on
School Board Through Error.

Jefferson City, Feb. 12.—Senator Craig's bill admitting women to membership on school boards was defeated in the Senate Tuesday by a vote of 17 to 13, four members absent. He has not given up hope of the bill's passage, however. The four absentees are all for it, he says, and several of those who voted against it have since alleged that they did so under a misapprehension, thinking the purpose of the measure was to allow women to vote. One of these has volunteered to move a reconsideration.

Operation on Boy's Foot.

Raymond Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley of this city, was operated on at St. Francis hospital Tuesday morning by Dr. Leslie Dean for an acute infection of one of his feet, which necessitated the removal of a part of the bones. The boy was removed to his home Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Mother John Improving.

The Rev. Mother John of St. Benedictine convent at Clyde, who was badly injured Saturday evening by being thrown from a buggy, is doing as well as her injuries will permit. Rev. Fr. Lake, who was also thrown from the buggy, is recovering nicely from the bruises he sustained.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday. Rising temperature.

MRS. JACKSON DEAD

PASSED AWAY AT TRENTON THIS
MORNING AT AGE OF 81.

BURIAL IN THIS CITY

Mrs. W. W. Jackson Was a Resident
Here Since 1867—Body Will Arrive
This Evening.

Mr. S. O. Hutchison of this city received a message Wednesday morning announcing the death of his aunt, Mrs. W. W. Jackson, formerly of this city, at the home of Mrs. Anna Andrews of Trenton, Mo., early Wednesday morning.

The body will be brought to Maryville Thursday evening, arriving on the 7:11 Wabash train, and from there to the undertaking parlors of Price & McNeal, to remain until the hour for the funeral services, which will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. D. Harkness. Interment will take place in Miriam cemetery, by the body of the late husband of the deceased, whose death occurred two years ago.

Mrs. Jackson went to Trenton a year ago to make her home with Mrs. Anna Andrews, who is her niece by marriage. Although in frail health, caused by a broken hip she sustained a few years ago, she took pleasure in living, and was a pleasure to those around her. A week ago, when she was stricken with apoplexy, a second stroke on Tuesday evening ending her life.

Mrs. Jackson was one of the best known women of Maryville and was loved by many friends. The strength and fineness of her character was known and admired by all who knew her. She was a devout Christian woman and a strict member of the Presbyterian church. She was born in Chester county, Pa., April 7, 1832, making her nearly 81 years old at her death.

Mrs. Jackson's maiden name was Rebecca Andrews. She grew to womanhood in her native county and was married there to William W. Jackson of the same county, on January 28, 1857. They continued their residence in Pennsylvania for seven years after their marriage. One son, Wilmer A. Jackson, was born to them on the 28th day of January, 1862. His death occurred in Maryville in 1886, a grief the parents never recovered from.

In 1864 Mr. and Mrs. Jackson concluded to locate in the west, coming first to Linn county, Ia., engaging in business at Marion. In the spring of 1867 they came to Maryville and located, buying the corner lots where the Price & McNeal furniture and undertaking establishment now is, building the residence that still stands next to it and which belonged to Mrs. Jackson at her death. Mr. Jackson conducted a livery and sale stable where Gray's sale pavilion now is, while Mrs. Jackson and her sisters, Miss Belle Andrews and Miss Letitia Andrews, conducted a millinery store where the furniture store now is. Miss Belle Andrews later married Dr. Howenblosser and Miss Letitia Andrews married Homer A. Avery, both of whom were for years prominent business men of Maryville. Mrs. Jackson continued to conduct a dressmaking establishment at that place for a number of years after her sister's marriage.

Mrs. Andrews is survived by one brother, David Andrews of Shipley, Fla., who is the father of W. W. Andrews, the well known cattle man living three miles southwest of Maryville. She was a half-sister of the mother of S. O. Hutchison of this city, and a half sister of the mother of Mrs. Thomas Martin of this city, her father having married three times.

Miss Frankie Hollowell went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning to spend a few weeks in a wholesale millinery house before taking a position.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for
TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR,
subject to the action of the Democratic
township nominating convention.
MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce
F. S. GRUNDY

as a candidate for the nomination for
Township Collector, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic township nom-
inating convention.

We are authorized to announce
FRANK BOLIN

as a candidate for the nomination for
Township Collector subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic nominating con-
vention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for tax collector of White Cloud
township, subject to the decision of the
Democratic township nominating con-
vention.
S. B. WILLIAMS.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for tax collector of White Cloud
township, subject to the decision of
the Democratic township nominating
convention.
RUFUS CAREY.

A. LINCOLN—AN APPRECIATION.

(By Rev. Gilbert S. Cox of the First
M. E. Church.)

The name of Abraham Lincoln will
always live. The monument on the
Potomac is an appropriate recognition
of his service to this nation. His more
enduring monument will ever be in
the hearts of the people. There is
scarcely a man in American history
who has come from as lowly a station
to such preeminent leadership. This
one fact makes him kin to every con-
dition; gives hope to every man of
every station.

Born in the backwoods, he emerges
into life as rugged as his surround-
ings; reared in poverty, he remains as
humble as his beginnings. By birth
and training he learned to sympathize
with both sides of the great national
question of his day, until at the end of
his life it was said of him that the
pulse of millions throbbed in his heart
and the thoughts of millions articu-
lated in his tongue.

He will ever remain our first Amer-
ican because he was "of the people, by
the people and for the people." A man
who knew how to fight for what he
considered right, yet "with malice to-
ward none and charity for all."

He is more than an American. To-
day he is looked upon by the oppressed
of the world as the apostle of liberty,
personification of emancipation. No
statue of liberty could herald to the
world the privileges of our institutions
so well as the life of Abraham Lincoln.

A man who was so true to all that
is highest and best in human nature,
who used the power invested in him to
secure the rights of rich and poor
alike, who knew how to temper justice
with mercy, who believes that right
makes might, whose only concern was
that he be in the right, who feared
only God, such a man will ever grow
in the esteem and affections of men,
and the ages cannot dim the lustre of
his deeds or character.

And so they buried Lincoln? Strange
and vain!

Has any creature thought of Lincoln
hid

In any vault, 'neath any coffin lid,
In all the years since that wild spring
of pain?

Tis false, he never in the grave hath
lain.

You could not bury him although you
slid

Upon his clay the Cheops pyramid
Or heaped it with the Rocky Mountain
chain.

They slew themselves; they but set
Lincoln free.

In all the earth his great heart beats
as strong;

Shall beat while pulses throb to chiv-
arly

And burn with hate of tyranny and
wrong.

Whoever will may find him, anywhere
Save in the tomb. Not there—he is
not there.

BANQUET TONIGHT

At the First Christian Church for
Members of Basket Ball League.

Members of the Normal, high school,
Business college and Pirate basket ball
teams, who closed a successful city
tournament last week, will have a
banquet tonight at the First Christian
church at 6:30 o'clock.

After the banquet and speeches an
all-city team will be picked, the all-
star aggregation to be selected by a
vote of each man who took part in the
tournament.

Business Visitors in Town.

Mrs. Mary Wray and Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Monroe of Hopkins and Mrs. Bess
N. Goodson of St. Joseph, a visitor in
Hopkins, drove to Maryville Wednes-
day in the Wray car to spend the day.

Illinois Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Walker of Prince-
ville, Ill., who have been visiting for
a week in Maryville with Mrs. Walker's
brother, Frank Knabb, and family, left
for their home Wednesday morning.

Announce Daughter's Birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeLong of Ra-
venwood announce the birth of a
daughter Tuesday night, February 11.
Mr. DeLong is the assistant postmas-
ter of Ravenwood.

To Move to Wyoming.

J. F. Chappell, who lives west of the
city, will leave this week for Wyom-
ing, where he will reside on a farm.
Mr. Chappell held a public sale Tues-
day.

President Taylor Sick.

Dr. H. K. Taylor, president of the
Normal school, has been confined to
his home for the past few days with
sickness.

Mrs. S. J. Smith and Mrs. Sarah
Smith of Barnard were Maryville visi-
tors Tuesday.

Valentines

We have the largest stock of
these beautiful remembrances
this year we have ever carried.
We have all kinds from the very
cheap grades up to the very
nicest ones made. Valentine
postcards in profusion. We have
the hand painted valentines at
prices not much greater than
most stores are selling the ordi-
nary stock kind, and they were
made especially for us. By all
means see them.

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tender sentiments of St. Valen-
tine's Day than any expres-
sion in any other form. Nothing
expresses the spirit of the day so
perfectly, nothing you can send
your sweetheart or wife which
will convey tenderness, love and
affection so well, for "Flowers
are lovely, love is flowerlike."
Of all the missives she receives
throughout the day none will
win her favor so much as
Flowers from Engelmann's. We
offer an especially nice selec-
tion of fresh cut violets, sweet
peas, lily of the valley, roses,
carnations, etc., and beautiful
potted plants, all very attract-
ively arranged for St. Valen-
tine's Day at very reasonable
prices. Mail orders promptly
tended to.

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shed, nice garden spot and fruit
trees. The estate of Henry Myers
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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Mothers' Circle Meeting.

The Mothers' Circle will hold its an-
nual meeting and election of officers
Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the
high school building. All members
are urged to be present as business of
importance will be considered.

Tuesday Evening Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King had for din-
ner guests Tuesday evening Mr. and
Mrs. David Munn and son, Walton,
who expect to leave Wednesday night
for their new home in Bay Minette,
Ala., and Mr. King's sister-in-law, Mrs.
I. N. Votaw, and her son, Kenneth
King, of Gate, Okla.

Entertained a Number of Friends.

Miss Lucile Husbands entertained
a number of friends at her home, near
Gaynor, Saturday evening in honor of
Miss Blanche Bloomfield. The decora-
tions were of red and white in valen-
tine emblems. Games of various
kinds were played. Those present
were Misses Verna Cort, Ada, Dollie
and Bessie Dinsmore, Amy Leech,
Hazel Bloomfield, Lois Bosch, Blanche
Garrard, Mabel Munn, Elva Stickles,
Blanche Bloomfield, Lucile Husbands,
Messrs. Joe Scott, George and Robert
Nigh, Troy Bloomfield, Charlie Har-
mon, Glen Bloomfield, Cornelius
Leech, Glen Ummer, Carl Timmerman,
George Barton, Ralph Boyd, Roy Cur-
ry, Hardie Shelman and Leonard
Bosch.

Began the Study of Othello.

The Shakespeare department of the
Twentieth Century Club met with Mrs.
E. G. Orear Tuesday afternoon, with
thirteen members present. In the ab-
sence of the leader, Mrs. Anderson
Craig, Mrs. G. B. Holmes presided.
Roll call was responded to by quota-
tions from act 1 of "Othello." After
the business session the study of the
first act of "Othello" was taken up.
Mrs. J. E. Cameron gave the pronun-
ciation of the character names in the
play. Mrs. S. R. Beech gave a brief
outline of the act, and Mrs. George P.
Bellows gave the source of the plot.
The questions were answered by those
to whom they were assigned. Othel-
lo's defense was beautifully read by
Mrs. Orear. Mrs. Tate could not be
present to lead the discussion, but all
the members participated in an ani-
mated discussion. Miss Alma Nash
gave interesting current events. Mrs.
Orear lead the parliamentary drill,
after which the club adjourned to meet
with Mrs. M. J. Honnold, February 25.

Seven O'Clock Dinner Guests.

Mrs. A. J. Luppold was the hostess
of a five-course dinner Tuesday eve-
ning at 7 o'clock, complimentary to Mr.
Luppold. The affair was to have been
a surprise for the honor guest, but as
the invited guests included the mem-
bers of the Sphinx club, who had not
had a good eating time for some time
their eagerness for good things they
knew were in store for them overcame
all thought of precaution their host-
ess had kindly asked them to exercise
in keeping the matter a secret, and the
whole matter was out by dinner time,
and the host appeared in his best
dress-up suit, all ready to play his part
as host in the highest style of that art.
The table decorations were in red and
white. The red candles in white shades
were used for lighting the table, and
red carnations were the flowers, which
were also the favors. When it came
time to serve the ices it was found
that they had disappeared.

The Sphinxes having to reap some
of their past pranks in stealing from
the defenseless Hum Drums, who had
called to their assistance the Blue club
members to help them get even on ice
cream stealing, which they suffered
several times last summer. The host-
ess had rather expected some such
sort of prank, because she knew that
the day of retribution could not be
long delayed for her guests, so she
baked a cake especially for the Blue
club. It is not yet known how they
relished that "special cake" with the
good cream that they stole. Some
think it has proven fatal, for no one
of the Blue club was in evidence
Wednesday morning. Mrs. Luppold
was assisted by Miss Frances Keeler
in serving and entertaining. The
guests were Hosick Holmes, Edward
Gray, Leland Andrews, Albert Binter,
Clyde Hutton, Andy Chris Cummins,
Magnus Tate, Cecil Sheldon, Elmore
Frank, John Kessler, Lester Thompson
and George Tate.

DR. A. T. FISHER

Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

Seed Corn

Reid's Yellow Dent and St. Charles
White, \$2 per bushel in ear or shelled
and graded. Early Northwestern seed
oats, re-cleaned and graded. These oats
weigh 40 pounds. Phone No. 162, pink.
S. S. WEBB, Burlington Junction.

New Spring Patterns in Silks

JUST ARRIVED

Before purchasing Foulard for your new gown visit this store which
sells Cheney Silks and ask to see the spring designs in

"Shower-Proof" Foulards

In addition to the old favorites you will find the designs this season
quite unusual for Foulards—and very attractive. The new multicolor,
floral and Dresden effects in which the new "Shower-Proof" Foulards
are offered will surely arouse new enthusiasm among women who love
these exquisite silks for their beauty and utility.

DO NOT forget that our WHITE GOODS SALE closes Saturday night.
Attractive values are being offered here every day that you cannot afford
to miss. Take advantage of the last three days of this sale to buy the
season's newest materials at reduced prices.

D. R. Eversole & Son

Returned to Kansas City.

Miss Marie Jones, who is studying
voice under the direction of Mrs. Ella
Van Huff of Kansas City, spent Sun-
day and Monday in Maryville with her
parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Jones.

WEATHER NOT TO BLAME.

It's Your Condition.

"This weather simply takes the life
right out of me, I can hardly drag
one foot after the other," said a run-
down, tired-out woman, the other day.

We want to say to every such per-
son in this vicinity. Don't blame the
weather, it's your condition. You need
a strengthening tonic and the very
best we know is Vinol which is a
combination of the two most world-
famous tonics, namely, the medicinal,
curative elements of cod liver oil and
tonic iron, for the blood.

A case has just come to our atten-
tion from Vineland, N. J., Mrs. Allen
T. Godfrey says: "I never fail to say
a good word for Vinol, for it restored
my strength and vigor after I had
been in a badly run-down condition
for several months. Everyone who is
broken in health ought to know that
Vinol will build them up and make
them strong."

Try a bottle of Vinol with the un-
derstanding that your money will be
returned if it does not help you.
Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.
—Advertisement.

Miss Marion Holt of Savannah vis-
ited in Maryville Monday and Tues-
day with Miss Helen Wyant, a State
Normal student, at the home of Miss
Emilie Tebow.

Only Unwise People Tolerate Catarrh.

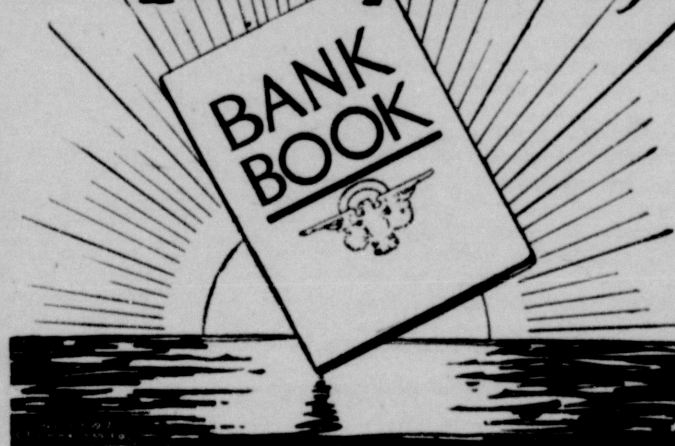
Here is a sure way to get rid of
Catarrh; hawking, snuffling, and all
misery caused by the Catarrh germs.
Get a HYOMEI outfit today, follow
the instructions and breathe five times
a day deep into your lungs the germ
killing air through the little inhaler.

At night just before going to bed
use the vapor treatment as directed.
This treatment is prescribed by the
best Catarrh Specialists in America
and Europe to destroy Catarrh germs.
Booth's HYOMEI is Australian
Eucalyptus and other splendid anti-
septics. A complete outfit which in-
cludes Inhaler is \$1.00; separate bot-
tles, if the first does not entirely cure,
can be obtained for 50 cents, and
money back from Orear-Henry Drug
Co. if you are dissatisfied. Just
breathe it—no stomach dosing.—Ad-
vertisement.

Mrs. Henry Ellsberry went to Bar-
nard Wednesday morning to visit Mrs.
Ed Cliser.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel
Ryan (European), 312 South Sixth
street. Steam heated. Rooms 50
cents to \$1.00 per day.

Dawn of Prosperity



Your Prospect of Success Lies with Your Bank Account

The day you make your first depo-it marks the begin-
ning of your progress. It is the first real step toward inde-
pendence. The man who spends all his income is speculating
with the future. Everybody meets with some misfortune at
some period and should conserve against that day. The
young man in business who does not save, the business
house that does not maintain a surplus, is unprepared for
emergency. Start an account today.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Capital and Surplus - - - \$122,000.00

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will offer for public sale, at the farm, 3 miles
southeast of Maryville, on

Friday, February 14, 1913

The following property:

11 HEAD OF HORSES—From 2 years up to 12 years, 5 mares bred to
draft horse. Also 1 extra large Jennet to be sold.
11 HEAD OF CATTLE—5 milch cows, the rest yearling and 2 year olds.
1,600 bu. of corn in crib, 50 tons of hay, 25 tons of baled hay.
SEED CORN—Funks 90 days Yellow Dent.

IMPLEMENTS—1 gang plow, nearly new; 2 stirring plows, 3 cultiva-
tors, 1 disk, 1 grain drill, 1 stalk cutter, 1 corn planter, 1 3-section har-
row, 1 sulky rake, 1 mower, 1 Dane hay stacker, 1 sweep rake, 2 hole corn
sheller, 2 wagons, 1 galvanized stack cover 20x40. Posts—walnut, oak and
hedge; cord wood, iron kettle, tank hand seeder, end gate seeder, disk
sharpener, 1 cream separator. Other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums under \$10 cash over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or
9 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest.

Lunch served by Ladies' Aid Society.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
G. B. Baker, Clerk.

I. W. Nixon

Hosmer's Mid-Month Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion—Saturday, February 15, 1913

50 Head of HORSES and MULES—9 head of coming 3 year old mules and
15 head of horses and mares, listed by E. H. Bainum. They are the good kind
and are fat. Some are 4 and 5 years old, others good gentle work stuff with a little
age that have been used in bus business, and are the right kind for farm work.
There will also be several good brood mares, drivers and drafters.

STOCK CATTLE, MILCH COWS, BROOD SOWS AND BOARS

This will be a big sale and the spring demand is here, and if you have stock of
any kind to sell list it early, for I will sure have the buyers. Remember first listed,
first sold. Don't forget the date, Saturday, February 15, 1913.

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

CROSS OR FEVERISH,
HALE-SICK CHILDREN.

If Tongue is Coated, Breath Bad,
Stomach Sour it Means a Torpid
Liver and Clogged Bowels.

Mother! Don't scold your cross, peevish child! Look at the tongue! See if it is white, yellow and coated! If your child is listless, drooping, isn't sleeping well, is restless, doesn't eat heartily or is cross, irritable, out of sorts with everybody, stomach sour, feverish, breath bad; has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, or is full of cold, it means the little one's stomach, liver and 20 feet of bowels are filled with poisons and foul, constipated waste matter and need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

Give a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the clogged up waste, undigested food and sour bile will gently move on and out of its little waste clogged bowels without nausea, griping or weakness, and you will surely have a well, happy and smiling child again shortly.

With Syrup of Figs you are not drugging your children, being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics it cannot be harmful, besides they dearly love its delicious taste.

Mothers should always keep Syrup of Figs handy. It is the only stomach, liver and bowel cleanser and regulator needed—a little given today will save a sick child tomorrow.

Full directions for children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the package.

Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. This is the delicious tasting, genuine old reliable. Refuse anything else offered.—Advertisement.

Fire at J. F. Cook's Home.

The fire department was called this morning about 7 o'clock to the home of James F. Cook on South Buchanan street. Fire started on the roof of the house from a spark from the flue. The damage was slight, probably about \$25.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.—advertisement.

Fifteen to Twenty-five Per
Cent Off Regular Prices

IT'S A BIG SAVING

And you should not Over-look it. This list for Thursday only.

Five quality Yellow Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs for 25c; 13 lbs for 50c
50 lbs good Cabbage for.....75c
Sunny Monday Soap, 3 bars for.....10c
25c and 35c Bottled Olives, plain or stuffed.....17c
19c and 15c Bottled Olives, plain or stuffed, 3 for.....25c
16c pkgs best Rolled Oats, 2 for 15c; 4 for.....25c
15c pkgs Corn Flakes, 3 for.....25c
15c Cream of Wheat Hearts or Grape Nuts.....11c
15c pkgs Kellogg's Wheat Biscuit.....11c
80c cans (5 lbs) Kansas City Baking Powder for.....55c
80c pails (5 lbs) Health Club Baking Powder for.....50c
150 gallons No. 1 Kraut (bring your bucket and carry it away), 2 gallons for.....25c
Gallon cans Apples for.....20c
Gallon cans Peeled Yellow Peaches 30c
Gallon cans California Apricots.....35c
Above are fine solid packed fruit.

SPECIAL IN FISH.

* Smoked White Fish, per lb.....20c
* Smoked Flinnan Haddies, lb.....20c
* Spiced Rolled Herring with pickle, 3 for.....10c
* Finest Smoked Tag Bloaters, 6 large, 6 for.....25c
* Smoked Herring, boned, skinned and split, per lb.....15c
* Pound tins Norwegian Anchovies, with key.....20c
* Pound Oval Tins Kipperd Herring, 3 for.....25c
* Pound tins Tomato Herring, per can.....10c

Snyder's famous Salad Dressing, largest bottle.....21c
Wyandotte Cleanser, new large package, 2 for.....15c
French Mushrooms, largest cans, each.....20c
Extra quality Jonathan Apples, per doz.....20c
Mexican Beans, any quantity, lb.....4c
Strictly good Navy Beans, any quantity, per lb.....5c
Campbell's 21 varieties Soups, 3 cans 25c; doz.....90c
Lobby's Chili with Beans, 3 cans 25c; dozen cans.....95c
Van Camp's individual cans Pork and Beans, quality unequalled, 5c each; 6 for.....25c

The Townsend Co.

The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store
in Northwest Missouri.

INTEREST IS GREAT

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than a big farm where they make experiments, where they try a certain thing hundreds and sometimes thousands of times, and by actual results from all these, determine the best and most profitable way of doing that particular thing. Book farming sets forth these results and the reasons for and the ways of applying them. It furnishes the farmer in a minute with that which he might stumble around for a life time but never discover. It saves time and labor and money.

Does your neighbor say it is not practical? Tell him that hundreds of these impractical business farmers are making returns of from 7 to 14 per cent on their investment where the ordinary scoffer considers himself fortunate if he has enough money to take in the county fair and buy a new suit of clothes every two years. The sooner you get that doubting neighbor in line the sooner will he become prosperous and make a good neighbor, the sooner will his farm take on an improved appearance and increase in value—the sooner will it help you and your farm.

The course is given by the state agricultural college and the lecturers are professors in that college.

FOR COUNTY ADVISOR.

J. B. Lamson of the Burlington Urged
Farmers to Have Such a
Man Here.

J. B. Lamson, connected with the Burlington railroad agricultural department, spoke at the short course this afternoon in the interest of the county hiring a county advisor. He urged that such a man be hired and that the Burlington would help out, as they considered it a business investment instead of a donation. He said that the Burlington minimum donations on these advisors are \$150, but that it is depending on the miles of railroad in the county that is hiring one. Such a county as Nodaway would receive more than this amount.

With the Short Courses.

The attendance is gradually assuming the proportions it should. The agricultural laboratory of the Normal was well filled this morning by a large audience who listened attentively to the lectures. But let us have every one who is enrolled there every session, and make the Maryville short course one that we shall be very proud of.

The lantern slides are proving to be a very popular adjunct to the lectures. The visual image is more readily grasped than the auricular, so the psychologist tells us, and so the actual pictures are instrumental in giving us a more comprehensive grasp of the subject than we may otherwise obtain.

The agricultural students of the Normal, who are constantly seen at the lectures with note books in hand, are assuming a wise and knowing look, and it would be a safe hazard to say that when they will eventually take charge of some school the pupils will receive some very interesting and instructive material.

Mr. Kempster of the state college at Columbia will be in Maryville Thursday, as he will appear on the program then. He is to discuss poultry on the farm.

Dr. J. C. Whitten of the horticultural department of the university will deliver the last night lecture at the court house on Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Whitten is one of the big men of the university and all should hear him.

T. E. Quisenberry, superintendent of the Missouri experimental farm at Mountain Grove, Mo., arrived in the city today at noon and is to talk at the court house this evening at 7:30 o'clock on "Poultry Raising." His lecture will be illustrated. Mr. Quisenberry will no doubt have a big crowd.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—14,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.
Hogs—33,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,500. Market strong.
Hogs—12,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$8.15.
Sheep—6,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong.
Hogs—5,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$8.15.
Sheep—4,000. Market slow.

Snodderly to Move.

The Snodderly music store on North Main street has leased the Robinson building on West Third street and will move to that location about the first of the month.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

"The Wooltex Store."

All-Wool Suits Guaranteed For Two Seasons

Our First Shipment of Spring Suits is Now Ready for Inspection.
The Wooltex Garments occupy first place in our line because they

are the best ready-to-wear garments made any where. The manufacturers of Wooltex garments boasts of twenty-seven points of superiority of their line. Here are three that will interest you most:

Guaranteed All Wool

The cloth from which Wooltex garments are made is tested with chemicals. Any piece of goods which does not test pure wool is cast aside. The name "Wooltex" is a shortening of the words "wool texture." This is the basis upon which H. Black & Co. have built their mammoth business.

Two Season Guarantee

Wooltex Suits are guaranteed to wear two seasons to your complete satisfaction. You are left to be the judge. If the lining wears out, if the color fades, if the seams give or if the suit does not wear for two seasons to your entire satisfaction in every respect, you will be given another suit free of charge.

Wooltex Style

Madame Savarie represents H. Black & Co. in Paris, the style center. It is her work, not only to note the styles at the present time, but to determine the style tendencies. So that you, this spring, may wear the same styles as the most fashionable in Paris. The Wooltex Suits are priced right. On this page we show two of the most popular styles which sell for \$25.00. Come in and look them over.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

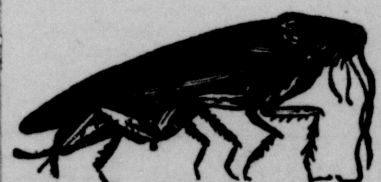
WEST THIRD STREET ♦♦♦ MARYVILLE MO.

An Attractive Combination
of Style and Quality.

2004—The Winston—a charming Wooltex suit that shows the new effects approved for spring. The cut-away, one of the prominent features of the styles for the coming season, is artistically brought out in the lines of the jacket. Curved seams in the skirt harmonize with these jacket lines. Skillfully tailored in the careful Wooltex way. The Winston is a superb suit for the price, \$25.

Meetings at Parnell.

Protracted meetings are in progress at the M. E. church of Parnell and are being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Hughes. The meetings are being well attended, and all social gatherings seem to have been set aside on their account.

Stearns' Electric
Rat and Roach Paste

Exterminates Cockroaches quickly and very thoroughly; also Rats, Mice, Waterbugs, etc.

Get the genuine, refuse imitations

Money back if it fails.

At all dealers, 25c and \$1.00.

Stearns' Electric Paste Co., Chicago, Illinois

APPLES

Grimes Golden and York Imperial apples, per barrel, \$2.50. These varieties are splendid eating apples.

W. H. GHORMLY,
Hopkins, Mo

Valentines

Only seven more
days until Valentine
Day. We still have a
good assortment, and
will be glad to show
you our stock and
prices.

HOTCHKIN'S
Variety Store

Went to Funeral in Savannah.

Henry Cook and daughter, Miss Mabel Cook, went to Savannah Wednesday morning to attend the funeral services of Louis Breit of Colorado Spring, Colorado, whose body arrived in Savannah Monday night. Mrs. Breit and Mrs. Cook are sisters. Mr. Breit has two brothers living, Peter Breit of Savannah and Jacob Breit of Guilford.

DANGEROUS DANDRUFF

Will Make America a Baldheaded Nation if Not Checked.

M. Pasteur, the great French Physician of Paris, once said: "I believe we shall one day rid the world of all diseases caused by germs."

Dandruff is caused by germs, a fact accepted by all physicians.

Dandruff is the root of all hair evils. If it were not for the little destructive germs working with a persistency worthy of a better cause, there would be no baldness.

Parisian Sage will kill the dandruff germs and remove dandruff in two weeks or money back.

The Koch Pharmacy guarantees it. It will stop itching scalp, falling hair and make the hair grow thick and abundant.

It puts life and lustre into the hair and prevents it from turning gray.

It is the hair dressing par excellence, daintily perfumed and free from grease and stickiness. It is the favorite with women of taste and culture who know the social value of fascinating hair.

A large bottle costs only 50 cents at leading druggist everywhere, and by the Koch Pharmacy. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.—Advertisement.

Oklahoma Guests Leave.

Mrs. Dr. I. N. Votaw and son of Gate, Okla., who have been visiting with the family of Mrs. Votaw's brother-in-law, James C. King, left for their home Wednesday morning.

Telephone Operator Resigned.

Mrs. Little Lund has resigned her place as chief operator at the Arkoe central telephone office and will be succeeded March 1st by Mrs. Ada Patterson.

Charles T. Graves of Kansas City was a business visitor in Maryville over Tuesday and Wednesday.

C. F. Remus, the South Main street department store proprietor, spent Wednesday in St. Joseph.

ROCK ISLAND GANG PLOWS

with two extra shares, C. T. X. Bottom.....\$55.00

Rock Island Sulky Plows, C. T. X. ".....\$37.50

Rock Island and Deere Disc Harrows

with tongue trucks 16x16.....\$30.00

Rock Island, Black Hawk and J. I. Case

Planters with high wheels.....\$37.50

Goods delivered at your station in Nodaway or counties adjoining. Farm machinery is cheaper now than it has been for twenty-one years.

Maryville, Mo. U. S. A. "Of Course," HOLT for High Prices.

FOR SALE

Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

Mrs. Oa Lincoln of Burlington Junction went to Pickering Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ingles.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam and Mrs. J. F. Colby spent the day Wednesday in St. Joseph.

New Garage at Conception Junction. James Donaldson, an enterprising farmer living southeast of Conception Junction, has purchased two town lots of James Donnelly and M. A. Sparks of that town, on which he will erect a new automobile garage 50x80 feet in size. He paid \$900 for the lots.

There is Only One
"Bromo Quinine"
That is
Laxative Bromo Quinine
USED THE WORLD OVER TO CURE A COLIC IN ONE DAY.

Always remember the full name. Look for this signature on every box 25c.

E. W. Brown

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

A pure, Grape cream of tartar baking powder—Makes Food More Delicious and Wholesome—No Alum—No Phosphates

Care must be taken to keep Alum from the Food

Prof. Alonzo Clark, of New York: "A substance (alum) which can derange the stomach should not be tolerated in baking powder."

Prof. S. W. Johnson, Yale College: "I regard their (alum and soluble alumina salts) introduction into baking powders as most dangerous to health."

Read the Label on the can. Unless it shows a cream of tartar ingredient don't buy the powder

PITCHED BATTLE IN MEXICO CITY

Fighting Resumed by Federals and Rebels.

THREE AMERICANS WOUNDED.

Dr. R. H. McCrosson of Lincoln Shot in Hand and Lloyd Osborne Receives Bullet in Thigh While Watching Fight—Y. M. C. A. Building a Fort

Mexico City, Feb. 12.—A pitched battle was fought among the skyscrapers and homes of one of the greatest cities of the world between adherents of President Francisco Madero and the revolution forces of General Felix Diaz. Three Americans were wounded in the fighting. Lloyd Osborne, the author, was shot in the thigh while watching the battle from the top of a building.

Dr. R. H. McCrosson of Lincoln Neb., was shot in the hand while venturing along a street. He had just arrived here.

Mark Johnson, a negro of Madison, Ill., received a bullet in the shoulder. When darkness put an end to the battle, after seven hours of fighting, neither side appeared to have gained any marked advantage.

Hundreds Killed.

Estimates of the casualties run as high as 1,000, although accurate information cannot be obtained. The dead will be counted by the hundreds.

Cannon roared in the streets of the densely populated city and rifle bullets splattered against the walls that housed thousands of foreigners as well as the countrymen of the combatants. Scarcely four blocks separated the opposing heavy guns of the opposing forces, but the shells fell throughout the entire city. In no section were the inhabitants safe. Office buildings devoted until now to the battle of business were turned into fortresses.

Under the red flag of Diaz the Young Men's Christian association building was made the screen of a machine gun battery, which sprayed a rain of bullets along the streets at the soldiers of Madero, while the return fire sought every crack and cranny of the building. The occupants were ousted from the reading rooms and dormitories and their places taken by soldiers fighting for their lives.

American Consulate Damaged.

It was this engagement which resulted in damage to the American consulate. The building stands at the intersection of Balderas street and Avenida Juarez. It suffered not more than some of the other buildings, but bursting shells from the rebel positions rendered the place untenable, and the consul general, Arnold Shanklin, and his staff, at the suggestion of Ambassador Wilson, evacuated the place and took refuge in the embassy. Their escape from the building was accomplished at great risk.

Sharpshooters and machine gun batteries took up their positions upon the top of skyscrapers and picked off any enemy that broke cover. Office buildings and residences were loop-holed for rifle fire and the rattle of musketry replaced the click of typewriters and telegraph instruments.

Pavements Torn Up.

Under a heavy shrapnel fire streets were torn up and the pavements formed into barricades by the Diaz soldiers against the assaults of the Maderistas. Time after time the adherents of Madero swept forward in an attempt to carry the Diaz positions by assault and four times they were repulsed by the fire that poured from the swinging muzzles of machine guns and from the modern rifles, with which the Diaz infantry was armed.

The assault on the Diaz positions was ordered by Madero in spite of the friendly offer of Francisco de la Barra, the former provisional president, to act as mediator and over the protest of the American ambassador and the diplomatic representatives of the other foreign powers, even though he knew this would entail a terrific bombardment of the capital.

Special Excursion Rates via Wabash. To Washington, D. C., and return, \$38.90; account presidential inauguration ceremonies, March 4, 1913. Tickets on sale February 27, 28, Mar. 1 and 2; final return limit Mar. 10th. Let us provide for your ticket and Pullman reservation.

E. L. FERRITOR, Wabash Agt.

Mrs. R. H. Lowrey of Grant City spent Wednesday in Maryville with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. S. Clark and family. She will go to St. Joseph Thursday morning to remain at the wholesale millinery houses to study the fashions for her millinery store at Grant City.

Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield of Pickering returned home Wednesday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey of Lawn avenue, and her brother, Ira Bailey living south of Maryville.

Bert Wray of Fredonia, Kan., who has been visiting his brothers, Carl and Will Wray of Guilford, left for his home Wednesday.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN ENDS DIGESTION.

Time It! No Sour, Gassy Stomach or Dyspepsia in Five Minutes.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; cause headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.—Advertisement.

Miss Clara Sturm went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Walsh.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY

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FOR SALE—Horse, harness and phaeton. Inquire at this office. 11-13

WANTED—Job on farm. Call 335 Bell phone, South Newton street. 11-13

FOR RENT—Half of a 14-room house, city and well water. 548 West Second. Rent very low. 12-18

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FOR SALE—White Pekin ducks, Indian Runner drakes, White Orpington cockerels, Buff Wyandotte cockerels, Rose Comb White Leghorn cockerels and Cornish Indian game pullets. J. A. Speirs, Clarinda Poultry house. 5-12

FOR SALE—Finest residence lot in Maryville, northwest corner First and Dunn streets. All improvements in. Worth \$2,000. Best cash offer gets it. Positively no trade considered. Address J. DeVoe, 4144 Charlotte street, Kansas City, Mo. 3-19

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Ordinance No. 440 requires of every Insurance Company and Agent before they are permitted to do business in the City, they must pay a license for such privilege. Agents take notice and get your receipt at once.

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NO. 218.

INTEREST IS GREAT

AND SHORT COURSE IS BEING LARGELY ATTENDED.

WITH DAIRY CATTLE

Mr. Brandt Discussed Essentials for Success—The Afternoon Program.

Tonight's Program.

7:30 p. m.—Illustrated lecture: Poultry Raising—T. E. Quisenberry, superintendent of the state poultry station at Mountain Grove, Mo. The lecture will be given in the court house.

Tomorrow's Program.

9-10 a. m.—Lecture: Handling the Corn Crop—Mr. Douglass. This lecture will have to do with the most important principles underlying the proper production of corn from an economic standpoint.

10-12 a. m.—Lecture: Care of Farm Poultry—Mr. Kempster. This lecture will treat of the details in successful handling of poultry on the farm. Common causes of failure explained.

1-2 p. m.—Lecture: Feeding Hogs for Market—Mr. Allison. A study of the relative value of rations for growing and fattening swine. The use of feeding standards discussed.

2-4 p. m.—Lecture: Seed Corn—Mr. Douglass. This period will be given to a lecture on selection of corn for seed and methods of storing and testing seed corn. (Illustrated.)

The Wednesday morning class was the largest of the course thus far. Legumes, principally cowpeas and soy beans were discussed by Mr. Douglass. The instructor says that soybeans are better adapted to this section than cowpeas because the former crop can stand the cold spring better than cowpeas. "Especially if you are going to plant them with the corn, the soybeans are the better crop because in all probability one-half the crop of cowpeas would be killed by a cold spring," he says.

In reply as to whether cowpeas should be mixed with corn silage, Mr. Douglass says that they will cause a mushy mixture which is undesirable. Cowpeas and soybeans are a good crop to precede alfalfa, the instructor told the class, because they loosen the soil and put the ground in better physical condition.

From ten to eleven, Mr. P. M. Brandt gave an interesting discussion of "The Essentials for Success with Dairy Cattle." The speaker as a result of his years of experience in this work, believes that the prime essential of successful dairying is to keep an absolute record of the milk and butter fat production of each animal and also just what each animal costs yearly. Dairy cattle, unlike beef animals, must be treated as individuals, illustrative of the old adage that "handsome is that handsome does." Mr. Brandt cited an instance of this sort which had come under his notice at the university. Two cows, half sisters, registered almost the same on the score card, but one produced about 160 pounds of butter fat per year while the other produced 500 pounds yearly. He concludes therefore, that the only way to successfully select your dairy cows is by comparative records.

Another consideration is that you should feed the cattle in proportion to their milk and butter fat yield.

With the aid of the lantern slides Mr. Douglass gave some very instructive points on the principles underlying crop rotation for this particular locality at the round table hour

from 11 to 12. The round table hour is perhaps the most instructive part of the course, in which the instructed as well as the instructor give their varied experiences with different phases of the farm work.

This afternoon Mr. Allison lectured on silage and live stock feeding, and the lecture dealt with the production of silage, its use in live stock feeding and its relative value in comparison with other feeds. He discussed different grains best to use in the silo.

The attendance this afternoon was by far the largest so far and considerable interest is being taken. The success of the course is assured.

ON FRUIT RAISING.

E. H. Favor Lectured at Court House Last Evening on That Subject.

The interest in the short course is gradually increasing, and with it the attendance is rapidly growing. Last evening Mr. E. H. Favor, one of the editors of the Fruit Grower and Farmer, of St. Joseph, gave a very interesting as well as instructive lecture on the intricacies of fruit raising, and the methods to be used in order to obtain the best results.

"Why is it," asked Mr. Favor, "that we do not have the quantity and quality of fruit that we had several generations ago? The answer is that we have insect pests and fungi growths now that were not known in the time of our grandfathers. We must offset these disadvantages by scientific spraying. There are three fundamental operations in fruit growing that the grower must observe in order to be successful—pruning, spraying and cultivation. The first is necessary to thin the fruit out and give the tree a desirable shape. The soil must be cultivated to obtain a luxuriant growth, while spraying is the most important factor of them all for several reasons. The reason that our spraying fails is due to two things—first, that we get poor chemicals, to which a very small per cent of the failures are due, and second, that we do not spray properly. If the wind blows the spray in our faces we are prone to pass over the job lightly and hurry out of the impromptu shower bath to the other side of the tree.

Spraying, to be effective, must kill all the insects, and partially doing this is but a waste of time. We commonly think of the northwest as the only place where ideal apples can be grown. Now, if one-half the care were taken here that the people of Oregon and the western states take we, too, could produce apples that would sell for \$2 per box instead of that much or less per barrel. Saleable apples, too, must be well colored. This condition is obtained only by proper pruning, so that all the apples may receive the sunlight equally."

The lecture was illustrated throughout by lantern slides, which were taken from pictures collected by Mr. Favor. The large audience listened attentively to the lecture, and questions were asked from time to time.

The speaker handled his subject in a masterful way, and the number of people over the assembly who were seen taking notes shows that the knowledge of the various speakers will soon be put to practical tests.

WHAT IS A SHORT COURSE?

Following Article Explains Nature and Purpose of the Course.

Since Nodaway county is holding a short course in agriculture this week under the direction of the State Normal school and the Commercial club, many of our readers would like to know what a short course is. The following article taken from the Trenton Republican explains the nature and purpose of a short course:

What is a short course, Mr. Farmer? It means six days when you will have an opportunity to ride to the county seat and learn as to the best methods of making the most profits out of your business. Once on a time it was considered "smart" to laugh at so-called book farming. Perhaps you have a neighbor who, even yet, in the light of the twentieth century, persists in doing so. But you know and his family knows and Sir Scoffer, after a little figuring and honest, whole hearted introspection, will admit that he has not yet learned the farm alphabet—despite the fact that he has been pushing the lines for forty years. Every farmer has learned much by experience. Frequently, after cropping in an unprofitable manner for twenty years, he realizes his mistake and changes. His total loss, charged to ignorance would make an alarming sum.

Isn't farming a business? Is there any good reason why business principles should not be applied to it? What is book farming? What is an experiment station? Nothing more or less

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BANQUET PROGRAM ON INCORPORATION

TO BE GIVEN ON FRIDAY EVENING AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

TO CLOSE COURSE WEEK IT IS THE QUESTION

Many Speakers, Such as Judge Ellison, C. D. Bellows, Dr. Taylor and Others on Program.

The banquet which will be given on Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the basement of the First M. E. church, will close the short course week, and promises to be one of the biggest banquets ever given in the city. The dinner will be served by the Ladies' Aid society of that church.

Many who enrolled for the course and a number of business men are buying tickets for the dinner, which are 75 cents. Tickets will be limited to 300. W. O. Garrett will preside as toastmaster at the dinner, and the following are those who will speak:

"When I Was a Farmer Blithe," by Judge W. C. Ellison.

"This New Sort of Farmer," by Charles D. Bellows.

"The Secretary Bird," by Secretary John I. Hoffman of the Commercial club.

"Larkin and Farmin'," by Henry N. Moore.

"Canning Corn for the Cows," by Charles Stafford.

"Making Smooth the Way," by H. W. Hull.

"Pedagogy and Potatoes," by Dr. H. K. Taylor of the Normal.

"Being Sociable on Route 5," by William Gex.

"When You Want 'Em," by C. G. McMillan of Pickering.

TO OPPOSE STONE.

It is Said That Judge Waller W. Graves Will Be a Candidate for Senator.

Waller W. Graves judge of the Missouri supreme court, is the latest candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator William J. Stone. That Judge Graves has his eye on the nomination is the declaration of men close to him.

No word has come from Judge Graves that he is a candidate. But in politics a hint from a friend is about as good as a direct word from the principal in the fight. This hint has come from some of Judge Graves' closest friends.

Judge Graves would have the backing of the state administration, or as much of it as could be turned over to him without causing a split in the Democratic party.

TODAY IS LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

Patriotic Songs and Program Given at High School Assembly Hour Wednesday.

As Wednesday was the birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln, a patriotic program was given at the high school at assembly hour. It consisted of patriotic songs and speeches. Miss Marie Holt gave "Barbara Fritchie," Edgar Hull gave "Sheridan's Ride," and Roy David, Lincoln's citysburg speech.

Rev. Albert S. Cox of the First M. E. church, spoke at assembly hour on Tuesday morning at the high school.

ENGINEER PHILLIPS HERE.

St. Louis Man in Conference With the Board of Public Works This Afternoon.

Engineer Hiram Phillips of St. Louis is in Maryville today and was in conference with the board of public works late this afternoon. Mr. Phillips has been the engineer of the board, and he has a plan for doing the improving work and knows what machinery is necessary. The board is to look over his plan.

TO JEFFERSON CITY.

County Superintendent Oakerson to Leave for Capital City Saturday.

County Superintendent Oakerson will leave Saturday for Jefferson City, where he will attend a meeting of the state reading circle board, of which he is a member. The board is to adopt the reading circle books for the next school year, commencing in September.

On Visit to Bolckow.

Mrs. Chester I. Hartman went to Blockow Tuesday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. W. G. Cooper. Mr. Hartman left Tuesday for Great Falls, Mont., and his bride will join him later. Mr. Hartman's mother, Mrs. G. A. Hartman of this city, remains quite ill.

VOTE NEXT SATURDAY BY PEOPLE'S PHONE SYSTEM DISCUSSED.

H. W. Hull Writes From Standpoint of One Taxed Without Representation.

Editor Democrat-Forum: On next Saturday the People's phone systems will vote on incorporation, and it is well to ask, do we need it?

The system consists of nearly 700 phones, about 200 of which are in Maryville. All lines having three or more phones are entitled to a representative, those having less than three on a line are not, therefore, represented, leaving about one-third of the system without representation. This one-third paid money for the drop, for the wire, use of poles, brackets, insulators, work and dues, but not one word of representation do they have. Is that right?

While some are objecting to supervision, Maryville has been forced under supervision all the while by a majority of the rural lines, unequally represented. Shall we continue the system as it is?

Under incorporation all share owners will be equal in the system.

The articles will contain just what we put in them. The board of directors will have only such powers as are given them. The costs, powers, services, liabilities and representation will be equal to every share owner.

The service will be better and the system put in better shape every way.

Every officer and director in the central are in favor of it. Every business man who has expressed himself to the writer is in favor of it.

December 28 the meeting of representatives of the county recommended incorporation. Skidmore, Maitland and Graham have incorporated, and now it is up to us.

Let us catch the step in the march to company responsibility, better service, equal representation, equal cost and the system will grow as never before.

H. W. HULL.

WABASH-GREAT WESTERN DEAL.

Omaha Papers Say That the Deal Will Be Consummated Within the Next Few Weeks.

Omaha papers contained the information Tuesday morning that the deal between the Wabash and the Great Western whereby the latter will use the Wabash tracks from Omaha to Conception to open a new main line direct to Kansas City, is likely to be consummated within the next few weeks.

The new move of the Great Western will give that road the shortest route between Minneapolis and Kansas City, and this will naturally bring the major portion of the freight and passenger traffic between these two points through Maryville.

Mrs. Castillo's Funeral.

N. B. Lamar of this city attended the funeral services of Mrs. Mary Castillo of Elmo, who died Sunday morning at her home near there. The services were held Tuesday morning at the North Grove church and were conducted by Rev. James R. Campbell, assisted by Rev. Dack of Blanchard, Ia., and Rev. Holliday of Elmo.

Mrs. Castillo had been a devout member of the M. E. church, South, since young girlhood and had attended the North Grove church since its organization. When she came to Maryville to make her home during the late war, she became a friend of the late Mrs. Mary Graham, for whom Maryville was named, and they remained staunch friends until death separated them a few years ago.

On Visit to Kansas City.

Mrs. J. L. Tilson and Miss Vera Tilson went to Kansas City Wednesday morning to visit Mrs. Tilson's mother, Mrs. S. M. Fraker. They were accompanied by Mrs. E. F. Fraker of Washington, Kan., who have been visiting them for a week. Mr. Fraker, who is editor and proprietor of the Republican-Register of Washington, spent Sunday at the Tilson home.

Marriage Licenses.

Henry F. Horton.....Ravenwood
Nellie A. Pettigrew.....Ravenwood
John E. Ecker.....Elmo
Edith Adkins.....Elmo

Will Give Patriotic Play.

The high school of Barnard will present a patriotic play at the M. E. church in Barnard Wednesday night.

PREDICTED THE RISE IN SWINE.

Hi. Montgomery, Skidmore Banker, Made Good Prediction—Tells of Strickler Serum Treatment.

According to the St. Joseph Gazette Hi. Montgomery of Skidmore, cashier of the Farmers bank at Skidmore and secretary of group No. 3 of the Missouri Bankers' association, was down on the first floor of the Exchange building Tuesday and was telling live stock men how he had predicted the rise in hogs.

"I told them to throw a few shovelfuls of corn to them and to hold them a few days longer," said Montgomery, after running his weather eye over the market bulletin board. "Our customers took my word for it, too, and they are going to make some money, too. I just felt it in my bones that there was something better coming in the hog market."

Montgomery, who puts out more money on cattle than most any banker in Northwest Missouri, tells how Bert Strickler, a 23-year-old farmer of Skidmore, is making a fortune vaccinating hogs for cholera. The young fellow fell in with a student from the Iowa Agricultural college at Ames and picked up a working knowledge of the serum business. In the last twelve months he has vaccinated more than two thousand head of hogs for William Carpenter, the big Tarkio feeder, alone. He works almost night and day and as a result cholera is at the minimum in the western part of Nodaway county. Still some farmers around Skidmore and Tarkio decry the serum treatment, Montgomery says. Cholera is sweeping off hogs in the Platte river valley in the eastern part of Nodaway county, where the serum treatment has been ridiculed by many of the farmers as an impractical experiment of the agricultural colleges. A federal government expert recently visited Strickler's plant at Skidmore and declares that his treatment is an unqualified success in every way. Montgomery declares that thousands of dollars have been saved to the farmers of his vicinity by Strickler and his serum treatment.

DEATH OF MRS. ROELOFSON.

Passed Away Wednesday Morning at Daughter's Home in Savannah—

Funeral Thursday in Maryville.

Mrs. R. S. Roelofson of Maryville, who has been spending several months in Savannah with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. May, died there Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, the day being the sixty-ninth anniversary of her birth. The body will be brought to Maryville Wednesday night and taken to the home of Mrs. Roelofson's son, J. Frank Roelofson, on South Main street, where the funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. J. Miller of the First Christian church.

Mrs. Roelofson had been in declining health for some time and the end came gradually day by day. She is survived by five children, Mrs. Robert Lyle, Miss Clara V. Roelofson and J. F. Roelofson of Maryville; Mrs. E. E. May of Savannah, and I. C. Roelofson of Barnard.

MAY RECONSIDER CRAIG BILL.

Several Voted Against Membership on School Board Through Error.

Jefferson City, Feb. 12.—Senator Craig's bill admitting women to membership on school boards was defeated in the Senate Tuesday by a vote of 17 to 13, four members absent. He has not given up hope of the bill's passage, however. The four absentees are all for it, he says, and several of those who voted against it have since alleged that they did so under a misapprehension, thinking the purpose of the measure was to allow women to vote. One of these has volunteered to move a reconsideration.

Operation on Boy's Foot.

Raymond Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley of this city, was operated on at St. Francis hospital Tuesday morning by Dr. Leslie Dean for an acute infection of one of his feet, which necessitated the removal of a part of the bones. The boy was removed to his home Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Mother John Improving.

The Rev. Mother John of St. Benedict convent at Clyde, who was badly injured Saturday evening by being thrown from a buggy, is doing as well as her injuries will permit. Rev. Fr. Lake, who was also thrown from the buggy, is recovering nicely from the bruises he sustained.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday. Rising temperature.

MRS. JACKSON DEAD

PASSED AWAY AT TRENTON THIS MORNING AT AGE OF 81.

BURIAL IN THIS CITY

Mrs. W. W. Jackson Was a Resident Here Since 1867—Body Will Arrive This Evening.

Mr. S. O. Hutchison of this city received a message Wednesday morning announcing the death of his aunt, Mrs. W. W. Jackson, formerly of this city, at the home of Mrs. Anna Andrews of Trenton, Mo., early Wednesday morning.

The body will be brought to Maryville Thursday evening, arriving on the 7:11 Wabash train, and from there to the undertaking parlors of Price & McNeal, to remain until the hour for the funeral services, which will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. D. Harkness. Interment will take place in Miriam cemetery, by the body of the late husband of the deceased, whose death occurred two years ago.

Mrs. Jackson went to Trenton a year ago to make her home with Mrs. Anna Andrews, who is her niece by marriage. Although in frail health, caused by a broken hip she sustained a few years ago, she took pleasure in living, and was a pleasure to those around her. A week ago, when she was stricken with apoplexy, a second stroke on Tuesday evening ending her life.

Mrs. Jackson was one of the best known women of Maryville and was loved by many friends. The strength and fineness of her character was known and admired by all who knew her. She was a devout Christian woman and a strict member of the Presbyterian church. She was born in Chester county, Pa., April 7, 1832, making her nearly 81 years old at her death.

Mrs. Jackson's maiden name was Rebecca Andrews. She grew to womanhood in her native county and was married there to William W. Jackson of the same county, on January 28, 1857. They continued their residence in Pennsylvania for seven years after their marriage. One son, Wilmer A. Jackson, was born to them on the 25th day of January, 1862. His death occurred in Maryville in 1886, a grief the parents never recovered from.

In 1864 Mr. and Mrs. Jackson concluded to locate in the west, coming first to Linn county, Ia., engaging in business at Marion. In the spring of 1867 they came to Maryville and located, buying the corner lots where the Price & McNeal furniture and undertaking establishment now is, building the residence that still stands next to it and which belonged to Mrs. Jackson at her death. Mr. Jackson conducted a livery and sale stable where Gray's sale pavilion now is, while Mrs. Jackson and her sisters, Miss Belle Andrews and Miss Letitia Andrews, conducted a millinery store where the furniture store now is. Miss Belle Andrews later married Dr. Howenboller and Miss Letitia Andrews married Homer A. Avery, both of whom were for years prominent business men of Maryville. Mrs. Jackson continued to conduct a dressmaking establishment at that place for a number of years after her sister's marriage.

Mrs. Andrews is survived by one brother, David Andrews of Shipley, Fla., who is the father of W. W. Andrews, the well known cattle man living three miles southwest of Maryville. She was a half-sister of the mother of S. O. Hutchison of this city, and a half sister of the mother of Mrs. Thomas Martin of this city, her father having married three times.

Miss Frankie Hollowell went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning to spend a few weeks in a wholesale millinery house before taking a position.

On and after Feb. the 15th

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ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly fitted Glasses?

WOULD YOU LIKE MY OPINION? I will give it to you willingly, FREE OF CHARGE.

MY SYSTEM of Eyesight Testing has no superior.

MY LONG YEARS' EXPERIENCE is behind this system.

PRICES MODERATE.

H. T. CRANE

Jeweler and Optician,
Maryville, Mo.

CROSS OR FEVERISH.
HALF-SICK CHILDREN.

If Tongue is Coated, Breath Bad,
Stomach Sour it Means a Torpid
Liver and Clogged Bowels.

Mother! Don't scold your cross, peevish child! Look at the tongue! See if it is white, yellow and coated! If your child is listless, drooping, isn't sleeping well, is restless, doesn't eat heartily or is cross, irritable, out of sorts with everybody, stomach sour, feverish, breath bad; has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, or is full of cold, it means the little one's stomach, liver and 20 feet of bowels are filled with poisons and foul, constipated waste matter and need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

Give a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the clogged up waste, undigested food and sour bile will gently move on and out of its little waste clogged bowels without nausea, griping or weakness, and you will surely have a well, happy and smiling child again shortly.

With Syrup of Figs you are not drugging your children, being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics it cannot be harmful, besides they dearly love its delicious taste.

Mothers should always keep Syrup of Figs handy. It is the only stomach, liver and bowel cleanser and regulator needed—a little given today will save a sick child tomorrow.

Full directions for children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the package.

Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. This is the delicious tasting, genuine old reliable. Refuse anything else offered.—Advertisement.

Fire at J. F. Cook's Home.

The fire department was called this morning about 7 o'clock to the home of James F. Cook on South Buchanan street. Fire started on the roof of the house from a spark from the flue. The damage was slight, probably about \$25.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Prolapsing Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.—advertisement.

Fifteen to Twenty-five Per
Cent Off Regular Prices

IT'S A BIG SAVING

And you should not Over-look it. This list for Thursday only.

First quality Yellow Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs for 25c; 13 lbs for 50c
50 lbs good Cabbage for 75c
Sunny Monday Soap, 3 bars for 10c
25c and 35c Bottled Olives, plain or stuffed 17c
15c and 15c Bottled Olives, plain or stuffed, 3 for 25c
15c pkgs best Rolled Oats, 2 for 15c; 4 for 25c
15c pkgs Corn Flakes, 3 for 25c
15c Cream of Wheat Hearts or Grape Nuts 11c
15c pkgs Kellogg's Wheat Biscuit, 11c
85c cans (5 lbs) Kansas City Baking Powder for 55c
85c pkgs (5 lbs) Health Club Baking Powder for 50c
15c gallons No. 1 Kraut (bring your bucket and carry it away), 2 gallons for 25c
Gallon cans Apples for 20c
Gallon cans Peeled Yellow Peaches 30c
Gallon cans California Apricots 35c
Above are fine solid packed fruit.

SPECIAL IN FISH.

* Smoked White Fish, per lb. 20c
* Smoked Flinnan Haddies, lb. 20c
* Spiced Rolled Herring with pickle, * 3 for 10c
* Finest Smoked Tag Bloaters, * large, 6 for 25c
* Smoked Herring, boned, skinned * and split, per lb. 15c
* Found this Norwegian Anchovies, * with key 20c
* Found Oval Tins Klipped Herring, 3 for 25c
* Found this Tomato Herring, per * can 10c

Snyder's famous Salad Dressing, largest bottle 21c
Wyandotte Cleanser, new large package, 2 for 15c
Fench Mushrooms, largest cans, each 20c
Extra quality Jonathan Apples, per box 20c
Mexican Beans, any quantity, lb. 4c
Strictly good Navy Beans, any quantity, per lb. 5c
Campbell's 21 varieties Soups, 3 cans 25c; doz. 90c
Luby's Chili with Beans, 3 cans 25c; dozen cans 95c
Van Camp's individual cans Pork and Beans, quality unequalled, 5c each; 6 for 25c

The Townsend Co.
The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store
in Northwest Missouri.

INTEREST IS GREAT

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than a big farm where they make experiments, where they try a certain thing hundreds and sometimes thousands of times, and by actual results from all these, determine the best and most profitable way of doing that particular thing. Book farming sets forth these results and the reasons for and the ways of applying them. It furnishes the farmer in a minute with that which he might stumble around for a life time but never discover. It saves time and labor and money.

Does your neighbor say it is not practical? Tell him that hundreds of these impractical business farmers are making returns of from 7 to 14 per cent on their investment where the ordinary scoffer considers himself fortunate if he has enough money to take in the county fair and buy a new suit of clothes every two years. The sooner you get that doubting neighbor in line the sooner will he become prosperous and make a good neighbor, the sooner will his farm take on an improved appearance and increase in value—the sooner will it help you and your farm.

The course is given by the state agricultural college and the lecturers are professors in that college.

FOR COUNTY ADVISOR.

J. B. Lamson of the Burlington Urged
Farmers to Have Such a
Man Here.

J. B. Lamson, connected with the Burlington railroad agricultural department, spoke at the short course this afternoon in the interest of the county hiring a county advisor. He urged that such a man be hired and that the Burlington would help out, as they considered it a business investment instead of a donation. He said that the Burlington minimum donations on these advisors are \$150, but that it is depending on the miles of railroad in the county that is hiring one. Such a county as Nodaway would receive more than this amount.

With the Short Courses.

The attendance is gradually assuming the proportions it should. The agricultural laboratory of the Normal was well filled this morning by a large audience who listened attentively to the lectures. But let us have every one who is enrolled there every session, and make the Maryville short course one that we shall be very proud of.

The lantern slides are proving to be a very popular adjunct to the lectures. The visual image is more readily grasped than the articulation, so the psychologist tells us, and so the actual pictures are instrumental in giving us a more comprehensive grasp of the subject than we may otherwise obtain.

The agricultural students of the Normal, who are constantly seen at the lectures with note books in hand, are assuming a wise and knowing look, and it would be a safe hazard to say that when they will eventually take charge of some school the pupils will receive some very interesting and instructive material.

Mr. Kempster of the state college at Columbia will be in Maryville Thursday, as he will appear on the program then. He is to discuss poultry on the farm.

Dr. J. C. Whitten of the horticultural department of the university will deliver the last night lecture at the court house on Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Whitten is one of the big men of the university and all should hear him.

T. E. Quisenberry, superintendent of the Missouri experimental farm at Mountain Grove, Mo., arrived in the city today at noon and is to talk at the court house this evening at 7:30 o'clock on "Poultry Raising." His lecture will be illustrated. Mr. Quisenberry will no doubt have a big crowd.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—14,900. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.
Hogs—23,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

Sheep—18,000. Market slow.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,500. Market strong
Hogs—12,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$8.15.

Sheep—6,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong
Hogs—5,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$8.15.

Sheep—4,000. Market slow.

Snodderly to Move.

The Snodderly music store on North Main street has leased the Robinson building on West Third street and will move to that location about the first of the month.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

"The Wooltex Store."

All-Wool Suits Guaranteed For Two Seasons

Our First Shipment of Spring Suits is Now Ready for Inspection.

The Wooltex Garments occupy first place in our line because they

are the best ready-to-wear garments made any where. The manufacturers of Wooltex garments boasts of twenty-seven points of superiority of their line. Here are three that will interest you most:

Guaranteed All Wool

The cloth from which Wooltex garments are made is tested with chemicals. Any piece of goods which does not test pure wool is cast aside. The name "Wooltex" is a shortening of the words "wool texture." This is the basis upon which H. Black & Co. have built their mammoth business.

Two Season Guarantee

Wooltex Suits are guaranteed to wear two seasons to your complete satisfaction. You are left to be the judge. If the lining wears out, if the color fades, if the seams give or if the suit does not wear for two seasons to your entire satisfaction in every respect, you will be given another suit free of charge.

Wooltex Style

Madame Savarie represents H. Black & Co. in Paris, the style center. It is her work, not only to note the styles at the present time, but to determine the style tendencies. So that you, this spring, may wear the same styles as the most fashionable in Paris. The Wooltex Suits are priced right. On this page we show two of the most popular styles which sell for \$25.00. Come in and look them over.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET *** MARYVILLE MO.



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An Attractive Combination
of Style and Quality.

2004—The Winston—a charming Wooltex suit that shows the new effects approved for spring. The cut-away, one of the prominent features of the styles for the coming season, is artistically brought out in the lines of the jacket. Curved seams in the skirt harmonize with these jacket lines. Skillfully tailored in the careful Wooltex way. The Winston is a superb suit for the price, \$25.



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Another Brilliant Example
of Wooltex Style.

2024—The Windsor—a late Wooltex suit model that offers at \$25 a value probably unequalled and certainly unsurpassed. Though plain tailored, this attractive garment has plenty of grace and charm without that severity usually found in plain tailored garments. The combination of simple, refined style, excellent materials and superior tailoring make The Windsor one of the most desirable spring models.

Meetings at Parnell.

Protracted meetings are in progress at the M. E. church of Parnell and are being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Hughes. The meetings are being well attended, and all social gatherings seem to have been set aside on their account.

Stearns' Electric
Rat and Roach Paste

Exterminates Cockroaches quickly and very thoroughly; also Kats, Mice, Waterbugs, etc.

Get the genuine, refuse imitations

Money back if it fails.

At all dealers, 25c and \$1.00.

Stearns' Electric Paste Co., Chicago, Illinois

APPLES

Grimes Golden and York Imperial apples, per barrel, \$2.50. These varieties are splendid eating apples.

W. H. GHORMLY,
Hopkins, Mo.

Valentines

Only seven more
days until Valentine
Day. We still have a
good assortment, and
will be glad to show
you our stock and
prices.

HOTCHKIN'S
Variety Store

Went to Funeral in Savannah.

Henry Cook and daughter, Miss Mabel Cook, went to Savannah Wednesday morning to attend the funeral services of Louis Breit of Colorado Spring, Colorado, whose body arrived in Savannah Monday night. Mrs. Breit and Mrs. Cook are sisters. Mr. Breit has two brothers living, Peter Breit of Savannah and Jacob Breit of Guilford.

DANGEROUS DANDRUFF

Will Make America a Baldheaded Nation if Not Checked.

M. Pasteur, the great French Physician of Paris, once said: "I believe we shall one day rid the world of all diseases caused by germs."

Dandruff is caused by germs, a fact accepted by all physicians.

Dandruff is the root of all hair evils. If it were not for the little destructive germs working with a persistency worthy of a better cause, there would be no baldness.

Parisian Sage will kill the dandruff germs and remove dandruff in two weeks or money back.

The Koch Pharmacy guarantees it. It will stop itching scalp, falling hair and make the hair grow thick and abundant.

It puts life and lustre into the hair and prevents it from turning gray.

It is the hair dressing par excellence, daintily perfumed and free from grease and stickiness. It is the favorite with women of taste and culture who know the social value of fascinating hair.

A large bottle costs only 50 cents at leading druggist everywhere, and by the Koch Pharmacy. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.—Advertisement.

Oklahoma Guests Leave.

Mrs. Dr. I. N. Votaw and son of Gate, Okla., who have been visiting with the family of Mrs. Votaw's brother-in-law, James C. King, left for their home Wednesday morning.

Telephone Operator Resigned.

Mrs. Lillie Lund has resigned her place as chief operator at the Arkoe central telephone office and will be succeeded March 1st by Mrs. Ada Peterson.

Charles T. Graves of Kansas City was a business visitor in Maryville over Tuesday and Wednesday.

C. F. Remus, the South Main street department store proprietor, spent Wednesday in St. Joseph.

ROCK ISLAND GANG PLOWS

with two extra shares, C. T. X. Bottom. \$55.00

Rock Island Sulky Plows, C. T. X. \$37.50

Rock Island and Deere Disc Harrows

with tongue trucks 16x16 \$30.00

Rock Island, Black Hawk and J. I. Case

Planters with high wheels \$37.50

Goods delivered at your station in Nodaway or counties adjoining. Farm machinery is cheaper now than it has been for twenty-one years.

Maryville, Mo. U. S. A. "Of Course," HOLT for High Prices.

FOR SALE

Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

Mrs. Oa Lincoln of Burlington Junction went to Pickering Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ingles.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam and Mrs. J. F. Colby spent the day Wednesday in St. Joseph.

New Garage at Conception Junction.

James Donaldson, an enterprising farmer living southeast of Conception Junction, has purchased two town lots of James Donnelly and M. A. Sparks of that town, on which he will erect a new automobile garage 50x80 feet in size. He paid \$900 for the lots.

There is Only One

"Bromo Quinine"

That is

Laxative Bromo Quinine

USED THE WORLD OVER TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Always remember the full name. Look for this signature on every box 25c.

E. W. Grove

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

A pure, Grape cream of tartar baking powder—Makes Food More Delicious and Wholesome—No Alum—No Phosphates

Care must be taken to keep Alum from the Food

Prof. Alonzo Clark, of New York: "A substance (alum) which can derange the stomach should not be tolerated in baking powder."

Prof. S. W. Johnson, Yale College: "I regard their (alum and soluble alumina salts) introduction into baking powders as most dangerous to health."

Read the Label on the can. Unless it shows a cream of tartar ingredient don't buy the powder

Work at Alberta, Canada.

Mrs. Anna Vance, who left for Chicago a few days ago to work in a wholesale millinery, has accepted a position in Alberta, Canada.

Miss Frances Brown of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. F. Rice, returned to her home Tuesday evening.

Attorney Here on Business.

John Taylor of the law firm of New, Kennish & Krauthoff of Kansas City was in Maryville Wednesday on business.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Miss Elizabeth Turner went to Kansas City Wednesday morning to spend a few days with Mrs. O. S. Briggs.

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale the following described property at the Oak Hill Stock Farm, 4½ miles east of Maryville, on

Tuesday, February 18

8 HEAD OF HORSES—1 bay horse 7 years old, weight 1300; 1 bay mare 5 years old, weight 1250; 1 black mare, smooth mouth, weight 1100; 1 bay horse 3 years old, weight 1200; 1 span black horse colts, 2 years old, weight 1000; 1 bay colt 2 years old, weight 900; 1 gray mare 2 years old, weight 1100.

ABOUT 50 HEAD OF HOGS—14 tried sows and 10 gilts, 10 head of barrows, fat; 1 Poland-China male hog; rest are shoats and pigs. All of these hogs have been through the cholera and are thoroughly immune.

FEED AND IMPLEMENTS—About 500 bushels of corn, about 6 tons of hay, 4 tons oats straw, and about 150 bushels oats. One Moline wagon, a good one; 1 John Deere lister and drill combined, 1 16-inch stirring plow, 1 McCormick mower, 1 McCormick rake, 2 sets work harness, 1 set buggy harness, 1 New Departure cultivator, nearly new; 1 National separator No. 12, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale have been complied with. Lunch by ladies of Mt. Ayr.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
Geo. B. Baker, Clerk.

J. A. Carmichael

FERN THEATRE

Four Reel Special

The Carl Hagenbeck

and great

Wallace Shows

700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSES 200 WILD BEASTS; 50 CLOWNS; 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PERFORMERS. A GENUINE TREAT. A WHOLE CIRCUIS FROM THE TIME THE TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN TILL THE LOADING BEGINS. DON'T MISS IT. THERE WILL BE FIVE SHOWS, 3 O'CLOCK, 4:30, 6, 7:30 AND 9 P. M., FEBRUARY THE 17TH AND 18TH. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE FROM 3:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL 10:30 P. M.

ADMISSION 15 CENTS.
CHILDREN 10 CENTS.

FEB. 17TH AND 18TH.
FERN THEATRE.

City License Tax

Ordinance No. 440 requires of every Insurance Company and Agent before they are permitted to do business in the City, they must pay a license for such privilege. Agents take notice and get your receipt at once.

J. G. GREMS
City Collector

PITCHED BATTLE IN MEXICO CITY

Fighting Resumed by Federals and Rebels.

THREE AMERICANS WOUNDED.

Dr. R. H. McCrosson of Lincoln Shot in Hand and Lloyd Osborne Receives Bullet in Thigh While Watching Fight—Y. M. C. A. Building a Fort

Mexico City, Feb. 12.—A pitched battle was fought among the skyscrapers and homes of one of the greatest cities of the world between adherents of President Francisco Madero and the revolution forces of General Felix Diaz. Three Americans were wounded in the fighting. Lloyd Osborne, the author, was shot in the thigh while watching the battle from the top of a building.

Dr. R. H. McCrosson of Lincoln Neb., was shot in the hand while venturing along a street. He had just arrived here.

Mark Johnson, a negro of Madison Ill., received a bullet in the shoulder. When darkness put an end to the battle, after seven hours of fighting neither side appeared to have gained any marked advantage.

Hundreds Killed.

Estimates of the casualties run as high as 1,000, although accurate information cannot be obtained. The dead will be counted by the hundreds.

Cannon roared in the streets of the densely populated city and rifle bullets spattered against the walls that housed thousands of foreigners as well as the countrymen of the combatants. Scarcely four blocks separated the opposing heavy guns of the opposing forces, but the shells fell throughout the entire city. In no section were the inhabitants safe. Office buildings devoted until now to the battle of business were turned into fortresses.

Under the red flag of Diaz the Young Men's Christian association building was made the screen of a machine gun battery, which sprayed a rain of bullets along the streets at the soldiers of Madero, while the return fire sought every crack and cranny of the building. The occupants were ousted from the reading rooms and dormitories and their places taken by soldiers fighting for their lives.

American Consulate Damaged.

The consulate building, which resulted in damage to the American consulate. The building stands at the intersection of Balderas street and Avenida Juarez. It suffered not more than some of the other buildings, but bursting shells from the rebel positions rendered the place untenable and the consular general, Arnold Shanklin, and his staff, at the suggestion of Ambassador Wilson, evacuated the place and took refuge in the embassy. Their escape from the building was accomplished at great risk.

Sharpshooters and machine gun batteries took up their positions upon the top of skyscrapers and picked off any enemy that broke cover. Office buildings and residences were loop-holed for rifle fire and the rattle of musketry replaced the click of typewriters and telegraph instruments.

Pavements Torn Up.

Under a heavy shrapnel fire streets were torn up and the pavements formed into barricades by the Diaz soldiers against the assaults of the Maderistas. Time after time the adherents of Madero swept forward in an attempt to carry the Diaz positions by assault and four times they were repulsed by the fire that poured from the swinging muzzles of machine guns and from the modern rifles, with which the Diaz infantry was armed.

The assault on the Diaz positions was ordered by Madero in spite of the friendly offer of Francisco de la Barra, the former provisional president, to act as mediator and over the protest of the American ambassador and the diplomatic representatives of the other foreign powers, even though he knew this would entail a terrific bombardment of the capital.

Special Excursion Rates via Wabash.

To Washington, D. C., and return, \$38.90; account presidential inauguration ceremonies, March 4, 1913. Tickets on sale February 27, 28, Mar. 1 and 2; final return limit Mar. 10th. Let us provide for your ticket and Pullman reservation.
E. L. FERRITOR, Wabash Agt.

Mrs. R. H. Lowrey of Grant City spent Wednesday in Maryville with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. S. Clark and family. She will go to St. Joseph Thursday morning to remain at the wholesale millinery houses to study the fashions for her millinery store at Grant City.

Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield of Pickering returned home Wednesday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey of Lavin avenue, and her brother, Ira Bailey living south of Maryville.

Bert Wray of Fredonia, Kan. who has been visiting his brothers, Carl and Will Wray of Guilford, left for his home Wednesday.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN

ENDS DIGESTION.

Time It! No Sour, Gassy Stomach or Dyspepsia in Five Minutes.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; cause headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.—Advertisement.

Miss Clara Sturm went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Walsh.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY

Gives Prompt and Positive Relief in Every Case. Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00. Trial Package by Mail 10c.

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props. Cleveland, O.
For sale by O'neal-Henry Drug Co.

Strader's

Valentine Special
Carnations, 50c Dozen

Loose bunches with green, violets, sweet peas and blooming plants make nice Valentine Gifts. Get your order in quick. Fresh cut lettuce any old time.

STRADER'S GREENHOUSES

One block North Square
Main Street

SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winners for this fall and winter. Price \$2.25 and \$2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON,

One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

Did You Ever Spend a Winter In the South?

Did you ever visit the many delightful resorts along the Gulf Coast?

Did you ever go motoring along Florida's beaches?

Did you ever go touring through scenic Cuba?

Have you ever enjoyed the many delights of a trip through Southern Texas?

Have you ever traveled through Old Mexico where the cold northern winter is turned to balmy summer?

Why Not Go This Winter?

There are special winter tourist rates to all principal points. The cost is low. The climate is positively ideal. The resorts are numerous. The hotels are good. The opportunities for all forms of outdoor sports are almost without limit. And the trip will bring the most pleasure, if you go via the Burlington.

Come in and let's talk it over. If I haven't detailed information about the attractions of the particular place you wish to visit, I can and will get them for you in a hurry.

W. E. GOFORTH, Agent
C. B. & Q.

Fish

Just Received a Fresh Shipment

Fat Mackerel,
Salt Sardells,
Boneless Herring,
French Sardines,
All Ready Cod Fish,
Smoked Halibut,
Smoked Bloater,
Fine White Fish,
Smoked Salmon,
Boneless Cod Fish,
Fish Flakes,
Crab Meat,
Spiced Herring,
Mustard Sardines,
White Cod Fish.

The Best Quality.

Schumacher's

Let Us Have a Look at Your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediameter and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.


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EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT
"Just a step past Main"


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Practice limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All phones. Office hours: 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.


Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

 **KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL**
White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

 **WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain.** Now booking orders for eggs, \$2 and \$3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

 **R. C. R. I. REDS** at \$1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna. Pickering, Mo.

 **FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys.**
MRS. C. H. RICE.
Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

 **S. C. BUFF AND WHITE ORPINGTONS**

Plenty of good, fresh eggs from my Buffs in 100 lots at \$6.00 per, or by the single setting at \$1.00 per 15. Still have a few choice cockerels from both varieties at reasonable prices. Also 3 Cycle incubators for sale cheap.

MRS. HENRY N. MOORE,
Farmers' phone 2516. R. F. D. 6

BUSINESS CARDS

Standard Plumbing Co.

R. E. MARTIN, Manager.
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
Hadam 46, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo.

W. F. BOLIN

Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 298.

VETERINARY C. M. CLINE

All phones. Calls answered day or night.
J. L. TILSON'S LIVERY BARN.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (15 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 15. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

FOR RENT

5-room dwelling at southwest corner Fourth and Buchanan streets.
6-room dwelling at northwest corner Fillmore and Torrance streets.

Also FOR SALE or exchange for good farm lands, two nice suburban dwellings with modern conveniences and large grounds, one on North Mulberry street, 9 acres, and one on West First street, 2 acres. The latter on paved street. All bargains for quick sales.

Also two 80-acre improved farms TO EXCHANGE for Maryville real estate property.

Prices made known on application at office, over Nodaway Valley bank. All phones. The Sisson Loan and Title Company. 17-27

FOR SALE—Hard coal base burner. Call at Sisson Loan and Title Co. 17-27

WANTED—Young calves. Telephone Bell 209. Roy Lippman. 19-11

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and phaeton. Inquire at this office. 11-13

WANTED—Job on farm. Call 334 Bell phone, South Newton street. 11-12

FOR RENT—Half of a 14-room house, city and well water. 548 West Second. Rent very low. 12-13

WILL SELL at the house 500 pounds bran at 98c per 100 lbs; shorts, \$1.05 for 100 lbs. Glover & Alexander. 7-17

FOUND—A fine black laprobe. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and calling at the bus barn. 10-12

THE PARTY who found blue and black plush robe please return to Democrat-Forum office and save further trouble. 11-11

ALERT REBEKAH LODGE will give a masque valentine social at 1 O. O. F. hall Thursday evening, February 13. Everyone invited. Admission 10c.

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